



# Quick Reference Guide for



# Status Summaries, Overviews, & Miscellaneous Links Pages

## Launching the Application

Double-click on the SumMaker icon, and a Status Summary template will open



## Steps to Build a Status Summary to show up-to-date status indicators and additional information for Today, Tomorrow, and Long Range for an anchor desk.

1. Use the Select Summary menu to choose a title, or type in a title (max. 13 characters).
2. Select appropriate color for the “gumball” status indicators.

**NOTE: You must select a color for each time category, or there will be no color indicator displayed on the summary page!**

R = Serious problems not already addressed.  
 G = No significant problems that have not been addressed.  
 Y = Issues are being addressed; no significant problems.



Today’ status: What are the conditions of the operation for the current 24 hours?

Tomorrow’s status: What are the expected conditions of the operation for 25 – 48 hours?

Long Range status: What are the expected conditions of the operation for 49 – 72 hours?

3. To drill down for more detail for each time category, type in a web address OR right click to access a navigational dialogue box. Then select the desired file and click on Open.

4. Add a picture in the graphics box.

**NOTE: May use jpg, bmp, and gif formats**

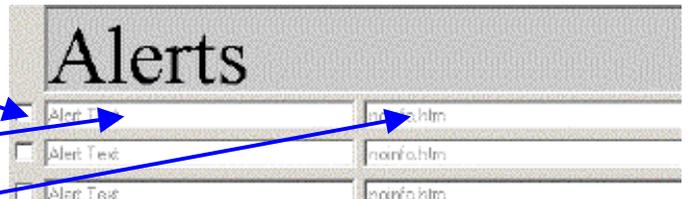
- Drag and drop a picture directly into the graphics box OR
- Left click on the mouse in the “Picture” link box, then select the desired file in the dialogue box



5. To drill down for full-size picture, type in a web address OR right click to access a navigational dialogue box. Then select the desired file and click on Open.

Three areas—Alerts, Impacts, & Links—can be used to provide further details about the status of the operation.

6. Click on a box to activate a line.
7. Type a message in the associated field (max. 20 characters).
8. Add a web link by typing in a web address OR right click to access a navigational dialogue box. Then select the desired file and click on Open.





## 9. Publish and save the file.

- Click on the **Publish** button.
- A dialogue box will appear with the functional name as the file name. Click **Save** to publish the information in the appropriate location for viewing on the KWall.
- A dialogue box will appear asking, “Do you want to save the current information?” Click on **Yes**, then select a location for the file and click **Save**.

## 10. Clear the form or keep it active. After publishing/saving the file, a dialogue box will appear asking, “Do you want to clear the form?”

- Click on **No** to retain the active file, as a convenient base for the next update.
- Click on **Yes** to display a new, blank template and close the file just saved.

## 11. Exit the current file/template

- Click on **X** at the top right corner of the page to close the application **OR**
- Click on one of the **Create** buttons to access another type of template.

## **Steps to Build an Overview** to show up-to-date status indicators for 13 anchor desks.

Building an Overview is similar to building a Status Summary.

1. Click on the **Create Overview** button on the **Status Summary Template** or the **Misc Links Template** to access the Overview template. Then:
2. Use the **Select Template** menu to choose a title, or type in a title (max. 13 characters).
3. Select appropriate “gumball” indicator color for Today’s status for each area.
4. Add a web link to drill down for more detail for each area, then
5. Publish and save the file.
6. Clear the form or keep it active.
7. Exit the current file/template.

## **Steps to Build a Misc Links Page** to provide easy access to web pages of your choice.

Building a Misc Links Page is similar to building a Status Summary.

1. Click on the **Create Misc Links** button on the **Status Summary Template** or the **Overview Template** to access the Misc Links template. Then:
2. Use the **Select Template** menu to choose a title, or type in a title (max. 13 characters).
3. Add web links and links descriptions (max. 15 characters).
4. Publish and save the file.
5. Clear the form or keep it active.
6. Exit the current file/template.

### **NOTE: Re-activation needed upon Re-opening**

- **Status Summary**: Previously selected gumball colors will be indicated, but not active. Also, **Alerts, Impacts & Links** messages & websites will be indicated, but not active. You **must** re-activate to display. Pictures remain active.
- **Overview**: Previously selected gumball colors will be indicated, but not active. You **must** re-activate to display.